## REQUEST for CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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	Application Number	10/587,863	
	Filing Date	September 29, 2006	
	First Named Inventor	Shoji YUYAMA et al.	
	Group Art Unit	1791	
	Examiner Name	Sonya Mazumdar	
	Attorney Docket Number	2006_1250A	
	Confirmation No.	9780	

February 28, 2011

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8,

1995,	95, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be	submitted to the USITO) on page 2.	
1.	Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 – Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant contains the state of the property of the property of the property of the property of the amendment(s).  a. [] Previously submitted. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.  I. [] Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on II. [] Other		
	b. [X] Enclosed:  I. [X] Amendment/Reply  II. [] Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)  III. [] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  IV. [] Other:		
Miscellaneous     a. [] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is required under 37 C     a period of months (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee unde			
	b. [] Other		
3.	<ul> <li>a. [] The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following:</li> <li>I. [] RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)</li> </ul>	I. [] RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)  II. [] Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and § 1.17)  III. [] Other:	
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	c. [X] Payment is made by Credit Card for the following fees in the amount of \$940,00:  I. [X] RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)  II. [X] Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and § 1.17)  III. [] Other:		
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